

Listing of Claims:

(6) A commodity purchasing method through a network, comprising the steps of:

receiving a connection request sent from a computer and a connection request sent from a cellular phone which includes an identifier corresponding to an identification code of said cellular phone;

determining whether said identifier is included or not;

storing said identifier and user status information associated with said identifier in a database contained in a unit for receiving said connection request; and

executing different session control depending on whether said identifier is included or not.

(7) The commodity purchasing method according to Claim 6, wherein said step of executing different session control comprises using history information communicated between said system and said computer if it is determined that said identifier is not included, or using said identifier and said user status information if it is determined that said identifier is included.

(8) The commodity purchasing method according to Claim 7, wherein said network comprises a first network for communicating with said computer and a second network for communicating with said cellular phone and said method further comprises a step of sending the connection request from said cellular phone through said second network.

- (9) The commodity purchasing method according to Claim 8, comprising the step of adding said identifier corresponding to said identification code to said connection request sent from said cellular phone.

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